IN THE MICHIGAN COURT OF APPEALS

ORDER

Re: **People of MI v Dexter Poole**
Docket No. **279860**
L.C. No. **06-054253-FH**

William C. Whitbeck, Chief Judge, acting under MCR 7.203(F)(1) and 7.216(A)(10), orders:

The claim of appeal is DISMISSED for lack of jurisdiction because the judgment of sentence was not a final order at the time that the claim was filed. If an appellant files a motion for a new trial the finality of the order is suspended until the trial court denies that motion. An appeal as of right may then be claimed from the final order. A claim of appeal that is filed before the entry of the denial order is a premature claim. Furthermore, the claim of appeal is not to be filed until denial of that motion for new trial. See MCR 6.425(G)(1)(a).

A true copy entered and certified by Sandra Schultz Mengel, Chief Clerk, on

SEP 20 2007
Date

Sandra Schultz Mengel
Chief Clerk